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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation N . 4252**  
Yoichi MORI et al. : Docket No. 2000-1578A  
Serial No. 09/714,220 : Group Art Unit 1764  
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METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR TREATING A WASTE GAS CONTAINING  
FLUORINE-CONTAINING COMPOUNDS

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents,  
Washington, DC 20231

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Sir:

Petition hereby is made for a one month extension of time to respond to the  
communication of September 5, 2002.

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- ☒ submitted herewith.
- ☐ to be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-0975. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.
- ☐ Small entity status of this application is established by a Small Entity Status Assertion which
  - ☐ is enclosed.
  - ☐ has been previously submitted.

Respectfully submitted,

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